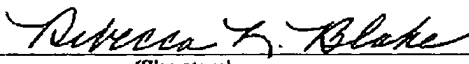
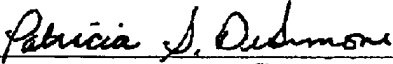



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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated October 26, 2004. Please amend the Application as follows.